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FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Records Governing Off-the Record Communications

Docket No. RM98-1-000

PUBLIC NOTICE

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e) (1) (v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website at http://www.ferc.gov using the **eLibrary** link. Enter the docket number,

excluding the last three digits, in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC, Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866)208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202)502-8659.

Prohibited:

Docket No.	Document Dated	<u>Presenter or Requester</u>
1. CP07-444-000	11-18-11	Several Individuals ¹
2. EC11-60-000	12-17-11	Marshall Burkes
3. RM10-23-002	12-22-11	Theodore J. Skerpon

Exempt:

<u>Do</u>	cket No.	Document Dated	Presenter or Requester
1. 2.	P-2503-147 CP11-515-000	11-1-11 11-2-11	Commission Staff ² Janice and Kevin O'Keeffe
3.	CP11-515-000	11-14-11	Commission Staff ³
4.	DI10-9-000	11-18-11	Hon. John Williamson, M.P.
5.	P-2277-023	11-21-11	Commission Staff ⁴
6.	CP11-56-000	11-28-11	Commission Staff ⁵
7.	CP11-161-000	11-28-11	Commission Staff ⁶
8.	P-13417-000	12-5-11	Hon. Herb Kohl
9.	CP11-72-000	12-9-11	Commission Staff ⁷
10.	CP12-30-000	12-15-11	Hon. Leonard Lance
11.	P-14263-000	12-16-11	Gov. Matthew H. Mead

¹ Form letters were submitted from 379 individuals over the period of 11/18 to 12/22.

² Telephone record.

³ Telephone records and email exchanges that occurred on 11/14 and 11/29.

⁴ Telephone record.

⁵ Telephone record from three occurrences -11/28, 12/7 and 12/20.

⁶ Telephone record.

 $^{^{7}}$ Telephone record from two occurrences – 12/9 and 12/13.

Docket No.	Document Dated	Presenter or Requester
12. CP11-14-000 13. P-12632-002 14. P-2188-000	12-20-11 12-20-11 12-22-11	Commission Staff ⁸ Hon. Troy Fraser Hon. Max Baucus

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⁸ Email exchanges that occurred on 12/20 and 12/27.